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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on November 30, 2006, and in accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§ 1.97-1.98, Applicant hereby directs the Examiner's attention to an Office Action dated June 6, 2008, issued in connection with Chinese Patent Application No. 200580003480.6, which is a family member of above referenced application, and wherein the following document has been cited:

(1) JP 2002-226375 A, August 14, 2002, together with an English language
Abstract thereof; Applicants further submit an English language computer
translation of the application, provided by Patent Abstracts of Japan.

A copy of above listed documents and the Office Action with respect to Chinese Patent Application No. 200580003480.6 are enclosed together with a duly completed

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Form PTO-1449. The Examiner is accordingly requested to consider the document and to make it of record in this application by initialing the appropriate space on Form PTO-1449. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to include a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Applicants note that an Office Action on the merits has not yet issued in the instant application, and thus, no fee is necessary to ensure consideration of this statement. However, if an Office Action has issued and is crossing in the mail with this statement, the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0089 any fee necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted materials.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted, Hiroaki SHIMOKAWA

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